

PHYSICAL THERAPY AFFILIATED CREDENTIALING BOARD
REGULAR MEETING
MAY 23, 2001

MEMBERS PRESENT: Nelda Olson, PT(via telephone); Barbara Flaherty, PT; Shirley Mook

LEGAL COUNSEL: Wayne Austin (portion of meeting)

STAFF PRESENT: Patrick D. Braatz, Karen Rude-Evans

GUESTS: Ron Hermes, WPTA; Michael Steinhauer, WOTA

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Nelda Olson called the meeting to order at 8:37

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION: Shirley Mook moved, seconded by Barbara Flaherty, to approve the agenda as published. Motion carried unanimously.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Barbara Flaherty nominated Shirley Mook for Chair.

MOTION: Barbara Flaherty moved, seconded by Shirley Mook, to elect Shirley Mook as Chair. Motion carried unanimously.

Shirley Mook took over as Chair at this time.

Barbara Flaherty nominated Nelda Olson for Vice Chair.

MOTION: Barbara Flaherty moved, seconded by Shirley Mook, to elect Nelda Olson, as Vice Chair. Motion carried unanimously

Nelda Olson nominated Barbara Flaherty for Secretary.

MOTION: Nelda Olson moved, seconded by Shirley Mook, to elect Barbara Flaherty as Secretary. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 16, 2000

MOTION: Nelda Olson moved, seconded by Barbara Flaherty, to approve the Minutes of November 16, 2000 as written. Motion carried unanimously.

SECRETARY OSCAR HERRERA

Patrick Braatz introduced Secretary Oscar Herrera to the Board. Secretary Herrera gave a brief summary of his background and said he looks forward to working with the Board.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSED STIPULATIONS

There were no stipulations.

REPORTS ON PENDING COURT CASES, DISCIPLINARY CASES AND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

These reports were informational.

2001 BILL RELATING TO LICENSING OF PHYSICAL THERAPISTS AND PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANTS

This bill has not yet been introduced and is currently being redrafted. The Board discussed some concerns with the current language. Patrick Braatz will send the new draft to the Board as soon as it is available.

REVISION TO CHAPTER HFS 124, ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

The Board suggested changes to Chapter HFS 124, Administrative Code. Wayne Austin is coordinating the responses from all the Boards and this information will be shared with Otis Woods, DHFS.

PRACTICE QUESTIONS

FSBPT CHANGE IN CAPTE STANDARDS

This item was informational. CAPTE will withdraw accreditation from all baccalaureate programs for physical therapy professional education effective January 1, 2002. Students will have until December 31, 2002 to graduate and be considered, by CAPTE, to be graduates of accredited programs. After January 1, 2002 the standard for physical therapy education will be the post baccalaureate degree (master's degree).

REPORT OF FSBTP ANNUAL MEETING

Barbara Flaherty reported on the FSBPT Annual Meeting. The FSBPT Board of Directors proposed a position statement on foreign-educated physical therapists. This matter needs further discussion and should be on the agenda for the next PTACB meeting.

RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

MOTION: Barbara Flaherty moved, seconded by Nelda Olson, to recess to closed session pursuant to Chapter 19.85(1)(a), (b), (f) and (g), Wis. Stats., for the purpose of conducting oral exams, reviewing a report of Wisconsin examination results, reviewing case status report and consulting with legal

counsel. Roll call vote: Barbara Flaherty – yes, Nelda Olson – yes, Shirley Mook – yes. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session recessed at 9:55 a.m.

RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION

MOTION: Shirley Mook moved, seconded by Nelda Olson, to reconvene in open session. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session reconvened at 11:06 a.m.

VOTING ON ITEMS CONSIDERED/DELIBERATED ON IN CLOSED SESSION

ORAL EXAMINATION

MECHAL E BEN-ARI

MOTION: Nelda Olson moved, seconded by Barbara Flaherty, to grant a license to Mechal E. Ben-Ari. Motion carried unanimously.

FSBPT MODEL PRACTICE ACT FIELD REVIEW

This item was informational.

FSBPT PHYSICAL THERAPY LICENSING BOARD COMPARATIVE STUDY

This item was informational.

REPORT OF FEDERATED BOARD MEETING

This item was informational.

CORRESPONDENCE

The Board reviewed the correspondence.

DIGEST UPDATES

This item was informational.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Nelda Olson moved, seconded by Barbara Flaherty, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 11:10 a.m.

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